

**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR AUTONOMIC OPTIMIZATION BY COMPUTER  
PROGRAMS

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

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Sir:

This Amendment After Final is in response to the Office Action mailed October 16, 2007, setting a three-month statutory period for response. This Amendment After Final is timely filed under the Expedited Procedure provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.116. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: